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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Sir:

In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and §§1.97-1.98, and supplemental to the Information Disclosure Statements filed on June 27, 2007; February 22, 2007; and December 21, 2006. Applicants hereby bring to the attention of the Examiner a Chinese Office Action dated December 28, 2007, with respect to patent family member Chinese Patent Application No. 2005800092267, in which the following documents were cited:

- (1) US 6,173,392;
- (2) JP 2003-223360 A; and
- (3) JP 7-084879 A.

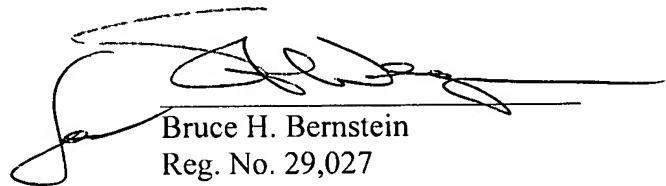
The relevance of these documents, as ascertained with respect to the Chinese claims by the Chinese Examiner, is set forth in the Chinese Office Action.

Applicants note that all of the above-noted documents were previously cited in the Information Disclosure Statement that was filed on December 21, 2006. Thus, copies of these documents are not provided herewith. However, an English language partial translation of above-noted document (3) is attached hereto, and is listed on an attached PTO-1449 Form. A copy of the Chinese Office Action is also attached hereto. The Examiner is requested to initial the appropriate spaces on the attached Form and to return a copy of the completed Form to Applicants with the next official communication in the present application.

Applicants submit that no fee is required to be paid to ensure consideration of the cited materials, as no action on the merits has issued, and further because the documents were previously cited in the December 21, 2006 Information Disclosure Statement.

Should the Examiner have any questions, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the below-listed telephone number.

Respectfully submitted,
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